**Questions for the reading on Roman religion (pages 91-93 in your textbook)**

1. **Do you believe in superstitions? What sort of superstitions are common in our culture and in the world today?**

**2. What is a cult in your own words? Is it okay, in your mind, for someone to be in a cult? What is the modern-day connotation of a cult?**

**3. What sort of rituals do we do in religion today?**

**4. Do we offer up sacrifice in modern religion? Why or why not?**

**5. What does it mean that Roman religion offered “little spiritual comfort”? How does that differ from modern religions?**

**6. “The only religions to which Romans were sometimes violently opposed were Judaism and Christianity, which denied existence of other gods”. Why is this so? Is this similar or different to modern religion?**